DRAFT CALENDAR - Netherlands Presidency of the Council of the European Union 2016

		JANUARY		FEBRUARY		MARCH
SUN						
MON			01	*EP Plenary (Strasbourg)* *Informal Development (AMS)*		
TUE			02	*EP Plenary (Strasbourg)* *Informal Development (AMS)* *Informal Trade (AMS)*	01	**COMPET**
WED			03	*EP Plenary (Strasbourg)* *Informal Defence (AMS)*	02	
THU			04	*EP Plenary (Strasbourg)* *Informal Defence (AMS)*	03	**TTE (Energy)**
FRI	01	***New Year's Day***	05	*Gymnich (AMS)*	04	**ENV**
SAT	02		06	*Gymnich (AMS)*	05	
SUN	03		07		06	
MON	04		08		07	*EP Plenary (Strasbourg)* **EPSCO** EUROGROUP
TUE	05		09		08	*EP Plenary (Strasbourg)* **ECOFIN**
WED	06		10		09	*EP Plenary (Strasbourg)*
THU	07	*Commission visit to the Netherlands*	11	EUROGROUP	10	*EP Plenary (Strasbourg)* **JHA**
FRI	08		12	**ECOFIN**	11	**JHA**
SAT	09		13		12	
SUN	10		14		13	
MON	11		15	**FAC** **AGRIFISH** (poss.)	14	**AGRIFISH** **FAC**
TUE	12		16	**GAC**	15	**GAC** **TTE (Transport)**
WED	13		17		16	
THU	14	EUROGROUP	18	**EUROPEAN COUNCIL**	17	*Tripartite Social Summit* **EUROPEAN COUNCIL**
FRI	15	**ECOFIN**	19	**EUROPEAN COUNCIL**	18	**EUROPEAN COUNCIL**
SAT	16		20		19	
SUN	17		21		20	
MON	18	*EP Plenary (Strasbourg)* **FAC**	22		21	
TUE	19	*EP Plenary (Strasbourg)* **GAC**	23		22	
WED	20	*EP Plenary (Strasbourg)*	24	*EP Plenary (Brussels)* **EYCS (Education)**	23	
THU	21	*EP Plenary (Strasbourg)*	25	*EP Plenary (Brussels)*	24	***Maundy Thursday***
FRI	22		26		25	***Good Friday***
SAT	23		27		26	
SUN	24		28		27	***Easter Sunday***
MON	25	**AGRIFISH** *Informal JHA (AMS)*	29	**COMPET**	28	***Easter Monday***
TUE	26	*Informal JHA (AMS)*			29	
WED	27				30	
THU	28	*Informal COMPET (AMS)*			31	
FRI	29	*Informal COMPET (AMS)*				
SAT	30					
SUN	31					

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		APRIL		MAY		JUNE
SUN			01	***Orthodox Easter Sunday*** ***Labour Day***		
MON			02	***Orthodox Easter Monday***		
TUE			03			
WED			04		01	
THU			05	***Liberation Day (NL)*** ***Ascension***	02	
FRI	01		06	***Ascension***	03	
SAT	02		07		04	
SUN	03		08		05	
MON	04		09	*EP Plenary (Brussels)* ***Europe Day***	06	*EP Plenary (Strasbourg)* **TTE (Energy).lu**
TUE	05		10	*EP Plenary (Strasbourg)* **AGRIFISH** (poss.)	07	*EP Plenary (Strasbourg)* **TTE (Telecommunication)**.lu
WED	06		11	*EP Plenary (Strasbourg)*	08	*EP Plenary (Strasbourg)*
THU	07		12	*EP Plenary (Strasbourg)* **FAC (Development)**	09	*EP Plenary (Strasbourg)* **JHA**.lu
FRI	08		13	**FAC (Trade)**	10	**JHA**.lu
SAT	09		14		11	
SUN	10		15	***Pentecost***	12	
MON	11	*EP Plenary (Strasbourg)* **AGRIFISH**.lu *Informal Energy (AMS)*	16	***Whit Monday***	13	**TTE (Transport)**.lu
TUE	12	*EP Plenary (Strasbourg)* **AGRIFISH**.lu *Informal GAC (AMS)*	17	EUROGROUP	14	
WED	13	*EP Plenary (Strasbourg)*	18	**ECOFIN**	15	
THU	14	*EP Plenary (Strasbourg)* *Informal ENV&Transport (AMS)*	19		16	**EPSCO (Employment)**.lu EUROGROUP.lu
FRI	15	*Informal ENV&Transport (AMS)*	20		17	**ECOFIN**.lu **EPSCO (Health)**.lu
SAT	16		21		18	
SUN	17		22		19	
MON	18	**FAC**.lu *Informal EPSCO Health (AMS)*	23	**FAC**	20	**ENV**.lu **FAC**.lu
TUE	19	**FAC (Defence)**.lu *Informal EPSCO Social (AMS)*	24	**GAC**	21	**GAC**.lu
WED	20	*Informal EPSCO Social (AMS)*	25	*EP Plenary (Brussels)*	22	*EP Plenary (Brussels)*
THU	21		26	**COMPET**	23	*EP Plenary (Brussels)* **EUROPEAN COUNCIL**
FRI	22	*Informal ECOFIN (AMS)*	27	**COMPET**	24	**EUROPEAN COUNCIL**
SAT	23	*Informal ECOFIN (AMS)*	28		25	
SUN	24		29		26	
MON	25		30	**EYCS (Education & Youth)** *Informal AGRIFISH (AMS)*	27	**AGRIFISH**.lu
TUE	26		31	**EYCS (Culture & Sport)** *Informal AGRIFISH (AMS)*	28	**AGRIFISH**.lu
WED	27	*EP Plenary (Brussels)* ***King's Day (NL)***			29	
THU	28	*EP Plenary (Brussels)*			30	
FRI	29	***Orthodox Good Friday***				
SAT	30					

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